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**Town Council.**

A regular meeting of the Town Council was held on Thursday of last week. Present--Mayor Robertson, Councillors Brown, Cotton, Swennumson and Beattie.

The following accounts were read:

Canadian Malt Co.	28.00
Can. Western Supply Co.	8.32
Bank of B. N. A.	66.05
Stacey Lumber Co.	1.35
Joe Cochran, labor	4.50
T. A. Ross, oat sheaves	3.01
A. Rosebrough, labor	10.00
A. Rosebrough, sale	48.91

The above were ordered paid, if found correct.

The Mayor and Secretary were authorized to issue a quit claim deed for north half of lot one, block 19 of the cemetery to R. Howard.

Reports on the water samples recently submitted to the provincial laboratory were now read as follows:

Provincial Laboratory, Edmonton.

Our number B 3 showed 873 bacteria per c. c. or each 18 drops, and all evidence of pollution. Since you have numbered the specimens 1 and 2, we are not absolutely certain how they correspond with our containers B 3 and B 23 which we sent you, but since the same number showed all pollution both chemically and bacteriologically we presume that B 3 refers to your No. 2, which is a water used for stock.

Sample B 23 showed 18 bacteria per c. c. or each 18 drops, and no evidence of pollution. These bacteria, of course, are not all disease producing nor are all of them, specimen B 3, but the fact that we found evidences of disease producing organisms in No. 2, this water would be considered for human use. We are not prepared to say, from a bacteriological point of view, that it would be injurious to cattle in any way.

Yours very truly,  
Heber C. Jamieson,  
Acting Director.

**Certificate of Water Analysis.**

Parts per million	
Total Solids	578, 4701.
Alkalinity	252, 1105.
Hardness	550, 723.
Sulphates	135.2, 2072.
Chloride	6.9, 85.
Nitro. in Nitrates	Absent
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Free Ammonia	.528, .058
Aluminium Am.	.022, .056

Remarks:--The analysis on No. 1 water does not render this suspicious from pollution, but the water is very hard, otherwise it is O. K. In No. 2 water you will note the large amount of Total Solids, this being many times what it should be for a good drinking water. These solids are mostly carbonate of soda and sulphate of soda. The free Ammonia point to animal contamination, but I see from your report that you use this for watering cattle so this evidently accounts for this pollution. The heavy sulphates in this water are very liable to have very laxative effects either on people or stock.

Yours very truly,  
J. A. Kela,  
Analyst Provincial Laboratory.

The matter of changing the date of the tax sale was discussed consequent on a mistake made by the department, and it was eventually decided to hold this on January 20th at 12.30 p.m.

Relative to an application made by J. P. Wilson to reduce his property, it was moved that the town solicitor be authorized to apply to the Minister of Municipal Affairs for permission to sell to J. P. Wilson, lots 13, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, block 32, plan 180AA, who was the former owner of same, providing all arrears of taxes, etc. are paid and the town is properly protected against any person or persons who may in future claim any interest in the said property and providing he proves he was the former owner.

A like application was received from Alex. Gallimish with reference to lots 15, 16 and 17, block 12, plan 28008.

This was dealt with in a similar manner to that of Mr. Wilson's property.

The meeting then adjourned.

**Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the ratepayers held in the Oddfellows' hall, on Monday evening last, passed off very quietly. The meeting was called to order by the town solicitor, who presented a report on the subject of "Consolidation" and although it was generally conceded to be an important subject, and that it would be beneficial both to the town and country, yet the discussion so far to hand is not sufficient to warrant active steps being taken until fuller knowledge is acquired of the subject. Both ratepayers and Trustees agreed with perfect unanimity that the rapid growth of Bow Island's population, with the increasing school attendance, would compel the town to furnish next year increased accommodation, and the matter of building another and a larger school will have to be a serious factor in the deliberations of the trustees in the next year.

Beyond the reading of the town's financial statement, and a letter from the members of the Town Council, the ratepayers' meeting passed off without so much as a flurry. Apparently the Town Council's work has met with the approval of the residents. The fact that nothing of a very important nature has been undertaken during the past year possibly had much to do with this.

As was explained by the Council, its policy during 1916 had been to economize as much as possible, and its financial statement read at the meeting showed convincingly that the policy had been adhered to.

**BOW ISLAND METHODIST CHURCH.**

... Grand Concert ...

WILL be held in the ODD FELLOWS' HALL, BOW ISLAND, on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7th.

Splendid program, including Songs, Duets, Choruses, Readings, Instrumental Selections.

Commences at 8 p.m. Be in time! Coffee and Doughnuts served at the close. Admission 5c. Children 25c. Proceeds in aid of Church Funds.

**CUT PRICES**

WE ARE NOW

**WHOLESALE MERCHANTS**

IN ALL LINES OF

**HARDWARE  
STOVES  
PAINTS  
OILS, etc., etc.**

AND PREPARED TO TALK TURKEY ON ANY COMPETITIVE PRICES.

**Southern Alberta Hardware Co. Ltd.**  
Bow Island, Winnifred and Burdett, Alberta.  
F. W. BROWN, president & general manager.

**HERE WE ARE AGAIN!**

A fine selection of Kitchen Sinks

Will be opened up for your inspection in a day or two.

**Finest Up-to-date Cistern Pumps**

A large variety, have just arrived, and you shall have them at the right price. See the "RED WING." It's a dandy.

**HORSE-SHOES AND CALKS ON THE WAY**

A few Collars, Halters, Lines, Breast Straps, Martingales, Blankets, and also some Team Harness at FAIR PRICES.

**MORE GAS HEATERS WILL ARRIVE SHORTLY**

**SWENNUMSON & CO**  
MAIN STREET BOW ISLAND

**Hotel Myrtle, Bow Island**

GEO. H. RIDGEDALE, proprietor.

BAR RE-OPENED with a choice line of SOFT DRINKS, CIGARS and TOBACCOS, etc.

Your patronage is respectfully solicited.

This Hotel has been re-decorated throughout and is open to cater to the people of this district. Rooms can be obtained on reasonable terms.

Particular Attention is Paid to the Comfort of Guests at All Times.

**Farmers!** Make this Hotel your Headquarters when in town

Parlor for Ladies.

**The Christmas Gift De Luxe.**



**The 1917 Ford Sedan \$890.**

For this year's gift, you can make no wiser choice than the new Ford Sedan. Its easy elegance will delight your wife, while the big roomy interior makes it a family car to be proud of.

The Sedan means stylish comfort in a big car, moderate in price, and inexpensive to run.

You must order at once for holiday delivery.

**BEATTIE'S GARAGE**  
BOW ISLAND

Agents for Bow Island, Winnifred, Whittle and Burdett, and surrounding territory.









## Steady Flow From U. S. Into Canadian West

C.P.R. Endeavor to Secure British  
Colonists for Ready-Made

According to Mr. J. S. Dennis, assistant to the President of the C.P.R. and head of that railway's Department of Natural Resources, the flow of American settlers into Western Canada since the beginning of the war has been constant and is increasing. He made this statement in answer to questions submitted to him by the Dominions Royal Commission sitting in Montreal to inquire into

Commissioner R. Sinclair, of New Zealand, inquired if the American settlers in Western Canada had become Canadian citizens in the technical sense of the term, and Mr. Dennis replied that a large number of them became citizens of Canada to this extent, that they became naturalized

Mr. Dennis said the total land grants to the company were 27,787,921 acres, all situated in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia. There have been sold to date 21,275,527 acres, leaving a balance available for sale of 6,511,394 acres. The sale of the 21,000,000 acres approximately

Mr. Dennis said the C.P.R. was anxious to obtain as large a number

colonies as possible from Great Britain, and established an organization known as the British Colonization Society. It was in an endeavor to induce people to come to Western Canada. It presented one hundred "ready-made farms" to start with. They comprised an area of 160 acres each, and were restricted entirely to British colonialists. The first group consisted of one hundred families from Great Britain, and they were to take up these farms, but it did not work out. The British Colonization Society was unfortunate in its selection.

Mr. Bosworth, vice-president of the C.P.R., gave an outline of what had happened in the past, and of the migration to the Canadian Northwest, referring particularly to its advertisement in the *Illustrated London News* of the United States, and explained the company's system of promoting trade.

**Prohibition Success**

**Ontario Realizing the Benefits of Prohibition**

The experience of prohibition in Ontario has justified all its friends claimed for it. The reports astonished the reader at the number of places that had not had a drink since prohibition began. The first two weeks in the City of London three days were without a drink. The first day no drunk and the police were almost idle. At Camp Borden there was no drunk for a week among twenty-five hundred men. At the military camp marked improvement in discipline was noted. The St. Thomas Standard said that the conditions of the wets that there would be a large bottle business has been knocked into a cocked hat by actual prohibition.

Probably the best proof of the success of prohibition has been furnished by the fact that the wets have

Another result of prohibition is considerable improvement in business. The Pioneer remarks: "The ready money saved from bootlegging is being used to start up new businesses."

of every city and town in the province in which local option was not

force. "Street car conductors told how much quieter were their night loads, policemen had an easier job, and many wives who before had done their Saturday marketing alone."

The Star is quoted as saying: "The majority of a score of merchants who are emphatic in their statements that prohibition has benefited their business, are of the number. The number and amount of purchases made by their customers." One merchant said: "Last Saturday was pay day. I noticed that old customers, whose purchases were usually \$100 a dollar, during the last week's sale made purchases of five dollars or over, something these men had never known to do before. And this seemed half the way the money spend."

Mr. Geo. Wright, of the Wall House, said in part: "We have been closed for business for the last two weeks. Our hotel has been filled to capacity."

The V.C. has now been awarded two hundred and three heroes and two women, a number awarded during the Indian Mutiny has been exceeded. The highest number of the most highly-prized decoration in India was instituted by Queen Victoria sixty years ago, the following list of the recipients of the Victoria Medal: 182; Baltic and Crimea, 111; South Africa, 100; and the Indian Mutiny, 100. The honor was in which this country has been engaged.

**The Name Filled**  
"Ma husband's very pol'y, He's got dat exclamatory remark, 'You mean inflammatory, Mr. Exclamatory is from exclam, w' means to cry out.' 'You mean it's what it is, hollers if anyone goes near him,' Boston Transcript.

good tea"





## Xmas Cards

OUR STOCK IS HERE. GET EARLY CHOICE.

BIG STOCK OF  
TOYS, GAMES, etc.

WILL BE UNPACKED IN A FEW DAYS.

The  
Blaine Drug & Book Co.

Jewelry, Cut Glass, Silverware, etc.

OPTICAL DEPARTMENT  
IN CHARGE OF

B. L. JAMIESON  
OPTOMETRIST and  
JEWELER

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LOWEST PRICES IN SOUTHERN ALBERTA  
See our well-stocked Show-rooms.

Tables, Chairs, Davenports,  
Cheffoniers, Bureaus, Lounges,  
Beds, Mattresses, etc.

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Agents for Gerhard-Heintzman Pianos and Singer Sewing  
Machines. Enquire for Prices.

**BEDELL FURNITURE CO**  
HOAGLIN BLOCK MAIN ST. BOW ISLAND



### A Car For You

Is waiting at our Garage in Bow Island. The "OVERLAND," as you know, has a reputation that is equalled by no other. Call around and see us and let us demonstrate this car. You will gladly admit its superior points, its beautiful finish, and the quiet easy glide which accompanies its motion "OVERLAND."

T. INGOLDSBY, Bow Island, Alta.

Agent for Bow Island, Burdett, Winnifred & Whittia.

### WE HAVE CHANGED

our location, but not our name or methods of business. We make no boast of lowest prices, but we are careful of the quality of the goods we sell. We charge prices which gives our customers and ourselves a fair shake. Come in and see our new store. A big stock of new goods will arrive in a few days.

**The BOW ISLAND SADDLERY**

W. J. OLIVER, proprietor.

### Local and General.

G. J. Hansch of Lethbridge was a visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Otto Gibson left on Saturday last to visit friends in Ontario.

Mrs. M. Finch, of Utah, accompanied by her daughter, arrived this week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Robertson.

Mrs. Armstrong with her family arrived from Maple Creek this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin.

At the Methodist Church service on Sunday evening next, a report of the Alberta Social Service Congress will be given.

Jean Meyers has been travelling on crutches of late owing to a heavy load of wheat having passed over one of his feet.

We understand the Southern Alberta Hardware Co., Ltd., are entering the wholesale business. Hurrah for Bow Island enterprises.

Mt. H. I. Bagnall, of the Temperance and Moral Reform League, will speak at the Fertile Plains School house on Sunday, December 3rd, at one p.m.

Zion Lutheran Church—Norwegian services in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, December 3rd, at one p.m. Fertile Plains 3:30 p.m.—N. R. T. Braas, pastor.

Marriage—On Tuesday, November 28th, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss T. A. Hagen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hagen of Altitude, to David Terrill.

Get Brown's prices on all lines before you buy, and he will save you money at all your towns. Mail order competition invited.—Southern Alberta Hardware Co.—Advt.

The meeting of the Philanthropic Society will be withdrawn on Monday next. On Monday, December 11th, the meeting will take the form of a Mock Parliament. Look out for further announcement.

Fertile Plains Mission.—Fertile Plains school house, service every Sunday at 11 o'clock. Conquerable service, December 3rd at 2:30 p.m. Hayeroff service, December 10th at 2:30 p.m.—Wm. Sutermeister, pastor.

The Southern Alberta Hardware Co. are installing an electric light plant in their Winnifred Store. They have already sold a large number of plants in Winnifred and Banfield. Twenty-five light machines installed, complete with everything, \$345 guaranteed. Some snap.—Advt.

The members of the Bow Island Lodge A. F. & A. M. pleasantly entertained at an "At Home," in the Masonic hall, on Friday last. Cards, followed by a short musical program, preceded a splendid supper prepared by the fraternity in the Queen's restaurant. Dancing followed immediately after.

The office of the Citizens' Lumber Co. was forcibly entered in the early hours of Monday. Apparently, however, the thieves received but very little for their trouble. A safe was forced open, but as the local manager had removed the contents the previous Saturday their quest was a vain one. They were more fortunate, however, on the adjoining premises, where they invaded the sleeping room of Charles Yip Yee and Henry Yip Yee, and secured about \$100 from his pockets. The robbery is supposed to be the work of a couple of men who have been hanging around town for the last few days, and a description of them has been wired everywhere to obtain, if possible, their arrest.

This is the reason they're  
all coming to Hoaglin's.

### WOVE BLANKETS.

White Wove Blankets from \$5.50 to - \$7.50

Three point all-wool Blankets—Brown - \$8.50

" " " --Red - \$9.00

A few LADIES' COATS left (special) - \$10.95

Nice line of Ladies' Fancy Petticoats \$2.00 up

We have a large assortment of Men's & Boys' Shoe Packs at reasonable prices.

**HOAGLIN'S DEPARTMENT STORE**

H. A. S. MacLaren has been suffering the past week from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

In connection with the Methodist Church, the members of that body will give a grand Concert in the Odd-fellows' Hall on Thursday, December 7th. The Review is informed that a good programme is being arranged and to those who attend an enjoyable evening is assured. Refreshments will also be held in Beattie's garage on Saturday.

Ratepayers, please remember that Monday next is Non-Residence Day, and that you are expected to take advantage of those privileges that have been granted you as free-born citizens of a world wide Empire. By the retirement on expiration of their term of Councilors Brown, Swennumm and Smith, three vacancies are created. The most satisfactory way to deal with these vacancies is to compel those Councilors to return to their respective seats. Each has done his part during his term of office with the Review believes, perfect satisfaction for as near that state as the ordinary human mind can conceive and the town cannot do better than show its approval in re-electing them.

### SALE OF HORSES, CATTLE, etc., etc.

BY AUCTION, AT THE FARM OF J. NIKOLAS  
SOUTH-WEST 1-2 SEC. 34-8-11, w. 4,  
About twelve miles south and one-and-a-half miles west of Bow Island

**Tuesday, Dec. 12**

Sale includes Ten head of Horses,  
Five head of Cattle, eight small Pigs,  
one big sow, and a number of Chickens. Also Agricultural Implements,  
Household Furniture, etc.

Terms—Half cash, time will be given on balance in October 1st, 1917, at Eight per cent. interest. Eight per cent. discount for cash. All sums under \$20 cash. Each article will be sold and settled for separately. Sale takes place at Ten o'clock. Free Lunch at Noon.  
Jonas Nikolas, owner. D. M. Garrison, auctioneer. H. S. Beattie, clerk

## Town Lots

IN BOW ISLAND, THE GAS CITY

YOUR LAST CHANCE TO BUY A HOMESITE CHEAP

Our interests elsewhere demand our attention and we are now selling off a large portion of our Bow Island property at a very low figure.

**Prices from \$20-\$150**

The gas alone will make Bow Island a big town one of these days, and if you are wise you will invest right now. For farmers especially, this affords a splendid opportunity to obtain a building site in the best residential part of the town.

**Needham & Baker**

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Near C.P.R. Railway Crossing.

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Lethbridge Avenue  
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